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and Mrs. Joseph Martin he enlisted in the air force in October, 1951 and was sent to cooks' school at Lowry Air Force base, Colo., before being assigned to Japan.

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Andover Farmers Hard Hit By Drought

Andover Building Permits Set All-Time July Record

Andover construction achieved an all-time record in the month just ended when building permits totaling $430,000.00 were issued by Ralph W. Coleman, inspector of buildings at town hall. The imposing amount is singular in that it represents all taxable property. The figure was double that of July, 1951.

Largest single permit was issued to Tyer Rubber Co. for a factory estimated to cost about $200,000. Thirteen new homes were given permission for construction, one store, several small constructions and about $6,500 in additions and alterations were approved.

The following were issued permits for residences: William T. Rich Jr., Judson rd.; J. S. W. Construction Co., Inc., Robandy rd.; Lewis W. Warlick, Judson rd.; Paul and Gladys Gibbons, Shawsheen rd.; Albert I. Richmond, Holt rd. and Orchard st.; Arthur G. Tessier, Bellevue rd.; Loretta Cairnes, Lincoln st.; James R. Baker, Hidden rd.; Thomas D. Sinclipico, Chestnut st.; Harrison Gray, Bellevue rd.; Paul A. Groezinger, Jenkins rd.; Arthur T. Tessier, Lowell st.

Permit for a wash shed and storage was issued to Raymond J. Schmitt, Shipman rd.; for a temporary trailer residence to Ababel Loosigian on Lowell st.; for a cellar to the Sportsman Log Cabin,

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Vandals Damage Church

Young vandals, with no regard for personal property and a disrespect for God's temple, were being sought this week by Andover police after they had smeared paint over walls, seats and a door at St. Augustine's church, which is being redecorated at considerable expense.

Describing the action of the offenders as beyond toleration, Andover police have worked tirelessly through the week in efforts to bring to task those involved, promising that they will be dealt with severely.

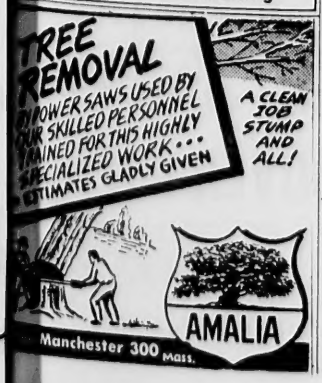
The vandalism took place in the church interior on July 31 between the hours of 4 and 8 p.m. Andover police were notified of the incident on August 1 and have bent every effort since then to bring to justice the persons involved. They suspect teen-age youths and are working on several good leads.

The damage to the church property required a day's work in cleaning up and delayed the progress in the church's renovation.

METHUEN LAD HURT

Edwin Cunha, 16, 26 Howe st., Methuen, was critically injured Wednesday at 11 a.m. when the vehicle he was driving crashed into a tree on Lowell st. in West Andover. His name was placed on the danger list at the Lawrence General hospital.

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Bus Fares Increase Sunday

Bus transportation costs between Andover and Lawrence will rise sharply on Sunday when a new rate schedule goes into effect, result of a decision handed down by the Public Utilities Commission, which granted a 39 per cent increase to the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Co.

The rate from Lawrence to Andover will be 20 cents as compared to the previous 15-cent charge. The rate from the Lawrence-Andover line or from Shawsheen square to Andover square will be 15-cents or one token, valued at 12½ cents, may be used.

Riders traveling from Andover to Lawrence or Lawrence to Andover may use one punch on a 24-ride weekly ticket, plus paying five cents in cash. These weekly tickets will sell for $2.25.

Bus company officials said the same service offered presently will continue.

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Milk, Crops, Hay, Fruits Victims Of Dry Spell

The worst drought in 134 years has caused catastrophic damage to Andover's farmers, withering crops in the fields, denying them a second crop of hay for cattle and reducing fruit harvest expectations immensely, it was determined by the Andover Townsman in an extended survey of the situation. All farm products will be scarce and what is available will be offered at high prices to local consumers.

HEAVY LOSSES

Essex County Agricultural school estimated to the *Townsman* that truck farmers without methods of irrigation would lose from 50 to 90 per cent of the normal yield. They said that the normal Andover corn yield is 100 bushels per acre while this year the harvest might run as low as 10 bushels per acre. Tomatoes were yielding 50 per cent below normal. Fruits, which promised a slim season, because of poor Spring conditions, will be affected even more, with good apples, pears and peaches being rare items in the Fall market.

Hay Withered

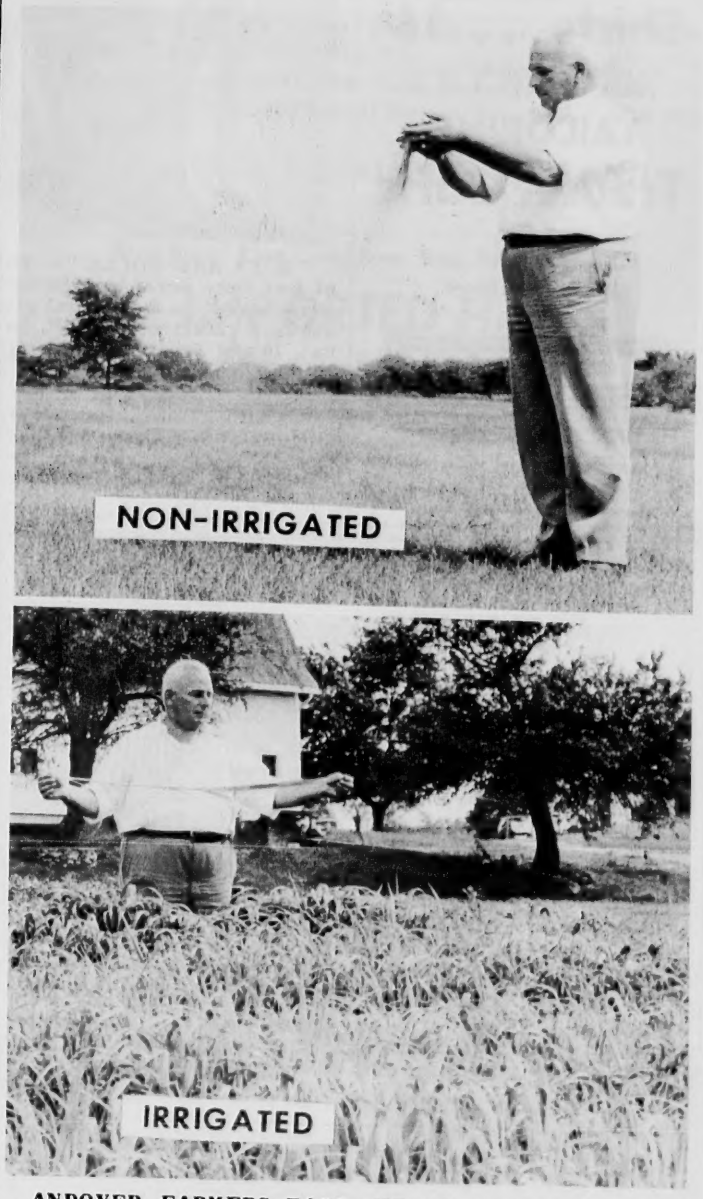
Dairy farmers looked into a grim winter. Most farmers, those without irrigation, have lost their second crop of hay, which is usually the best. They are already feeding the first crop of hay to cattle. Milk production had dipped low and the prospects of its increasing are not overbright. Feed for the winter is the big problem with all indications being that milk prices will be boosted appreciably, owing to increased costs.

Even tightening the hay shortage is the fact that an embargo has been placed on Canadian hay, because of the foot and mouth disease, cutting off that source of supply. Andover farmers will have to look to the West for its cattle feed paying the high costs of shipment.

Andover Farming

Revealing was the information given out by the Essex County Agricultural school as regards the extent to which Andover residents are devoted to farming. Latest figures available there indicate that 280,000 bushels of vegetables are marketed yearly by local farmers, who till about 800 acres of soil. They said Andover's 675 cows produced 2,053,000 quarts of milk. Poultry here amounted to 63,000 hens, which produced 950,000 dozens of eggs and 600,000 pounds of poultry meat. Swine accounted for 130,000 pounds of pork turkeys produced 70,000

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ANDOVER FARMERS HARD HIT BY DROUGHT — The above photo illustrates effectively the results of a rainless summer. Top photo shows Selectman Sidney P. White, owner of the Wild Rose Farm, as he stands on barren, arid ground where ordinarily some two feet of hay would be ready for harvest. Lower photo shows Selectman White as he stands hip-deep in hay on pasture land which has been irrigated nearby his farm. Grim fact is that so little land in Andover lends itself to the expensive process of irrigation. **(Look Photo)**

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"GUYS AND DOLLS" — The current New York stage play of that name never brought more laughs and joy than the Doll Show staged at the Central playground recently. Above photo shows a galaxy of "dolls", live ones and manufactured ones. But, lo and behold, sitting right there in the middle of the picture is a real live little "guy" and he has his favorite doll clutched in his hands. And just to his right, seated, is another little "guy" with two dolls in his arms. Who said "A Guy IS A Guy" or is that just a popular song.

(Look Photo)

Personal

Miss Miriam Putnam, librarian at the Memorial Hall library, and Miss Mary F. Zecchini, reference librarian, have returned from their annual vacations.

ANDOVER LAWNS ARE THREATENED

Water is cheaper than grass seed.

Andover residents were advised Thursday by botanists associated with the Essex County Agricultural school to douse their lawns now or be prepared to buy grass seed in the Fall. They said that lawns should average one inch of water per week to remain healthy.

A little water is worse than none at all, they explained as, they said, the watering should be sufficient to reach the roots. New lawns are most apt to fall victim to the dry spell owing to the fact that roots have not penetrated deeply into the earth. Best time for watering is the nighttime, they reported.

Lawns which are now wearing straw-colored appearances may be fatally stricken if the drought continues another two or three weeks.

Free-For-All In Shawsheen

A free-for-all in Shawsheen Village, early Sunday morning, resulted in the three youthful participants being fined $20 each for disturbance of the peace in Lawrence District Court on Monday morning. Drunkenness charges were filed. The defendants were Michael P. Hall, Jr., 27 and Joseph T. Fenton, 30, both of Brooklyn, N.Y., and Patrick S. Boyle of New Orleans. They pleaded guilty to the complaints, which were lodged by the Andover police. Boyle was also fined $45 when judged guilty of operating a motor vehicle under the influence of liquor.

Patrolman Calvin Deyermond told the court he was called to Magnolia ave. at 2:20 a.m. Sunday where he found Hall bleeding from a cut over the right eye and Boyle with no shirt on and covered with blood. Residents of the area were awakened by the disturbance and were standing in front of their homes.

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Besides the 14 open houses, a full program of special events has been planned, including displays of art, glass and dolls, exhibitions of weaving, spinning, clam-digging, bell-ringing and dancing on the green. Houses will be open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Personal

Donna Lee Shiebler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Shiebler, 29A Maple ave., is enjoying a two seeks' stay at the Lincoln Hall camp in Foxboro.

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Fined $15 For Hitting Officer

John R. Frederickson, 11 Chapman ave., was fined $15 in Lawrence District court on Monday by Judge John J. Darcy after he pleaded guilty to an assult on Patrolman Raymond Collins on Sunday at 8:30 p.m. in Andover square. A complaint of drunkenness, to which he pleaded guilty, was filed.

Officer Collins told the court that he was standing in the square Sunday night in conversation with a friend when Frederickson approached and interrupted the talk. He said he ordered Frederickson away whereupon the defendant invited him to take off his cap and badge and walk around the corner with him. The officer said he placed Frederickson under arrest and the defendant hit him on the left arm. Two reserve officers assisted in placing the man under arrest.

ON DEAN'S LIST

Bill G. McKeown Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McKeown of Lowell st., has been named to the dean's list at Hobart college for outstanding academic work during the last semester. He is a junior.

URGE VOTERS REGISTER

The League of Women Voters of Andover urge eligible citizens to register for the primaries and elections to be held in September and November. According to the law, they explain, the registration of new voters is closed in this state 32 days before the ballot dates in order to allow town and city officials to bring the voting lists up to date.

The state primaries will be held Tuesday, Sept. 16 and the election will be held Tuesday, Nov. 4.

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Guest Of Air Force

Eugene Zalla, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Zalla of Chester st., one of the members of the Wings of West Point Encampment, left Bedford airport Saturday morning and flew to Stewart Air Force base, Newburgh, N.Y., where for a week he will be the guest of the United States Air Force. He is an explorer of Post 75 of St. Augustine's church.

Block Dancing

Young and old were on hand to enjoy dancing on the playground skating rink last Friday evening. Modern and square dancing was enjoyed to the music of Harold Phinney's recordings.

Playground Carnival

The annual playground carnival will be held Wednesday, August 13, on the Ballardvale playground. There will be an exhibition of the handiwork done by the children this summer.

Paul Lanni and Charles Bentley are co-chairmen with volunteers from Ballardvale and the full playground staff assisting. The starting time will be 7 p.m.

There will be booths selling hot dogs, hamburgers, bakery, candy, coffee, corn on the cob, soft drinks and grabs. It is hoped to provide pony rides for the children. There will also be block dancing.

Anyone interested in donating articles for any of the tables is asked to contact Mr. Lanni or Mr. Bentley.

Birthday Party

Little Joan Ann Wrigley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wrigley of Oak st. celebrated her third birthday last Saturday. Joan received numerous gifts from her young friends. Refreshments including the traditional birthday cake and ice cream were served by Mrs. Wrigley. Balloons were given the children.

Guests present: Charles, Bobby and Christine Walent, Karen and Mellissa LaVallee, Donald and Patricia Wrigley, Marion Fitts, Bruce and Billy Spencer, and her brother Henry. Also Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wrigley, Mrs. Stephanie Walent, Jack Wrigley, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wrigley, Mrs. Margaret MacDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walent.

Catches Striped Bass

Frank Green of Marland st. had the good fortune to catch a 20 lb. striped bass while surf casting at Plum Island last Saturday evening.

Blanket Club

The ways and means of the Friendly Guild of the Union Congregational church are planning on forming a blanket club. Anyone interested in joining is asked to notify members of the committee; Mrs. Ralph Sharpe, Mrs. Frank Watson, Mrs. Russell Hall, Mrs. Ralph Greenwood or Mrs. Frank Green.

Personals

Mrs. Robert LaVallee and daughters, Karen and Melissa, of North Brookfield are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walent and family of Andover st.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nason of Andover st. have returned home after visiting in Maine for the past month.

Mrs. Michael Mullaney of Clark rd. has joined the tenting colony at York beach.

Mrs. Murray Ballou and Mrs. Fred Nowell enjoyed a motor trip to Lake Winnipesaukee last week.

Misses Doris Nicoll and Marion Lorraine of Northampton State hospital were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Nicoll of Clark rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walent and family and Mr. and Mrs. Robert LaVallee and family spent Sunday at Cobbett's pond.

Masters Lawrence and Douglas Frost of Reading were the guests of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bouleau last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nicoll are enjoying the week at Popponnessett beach, Cape Cod.

Mr. and Mrs. James Briely of Tewksbury st. have returned after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newell Davis of Eastport, Md. Mrs. Davis is the former Ethyl Brierly.

Rev. Robert J. McCune of the Methodist church is attending Rolling Ridge, North Andover for the week and is teaching recreation to the intermediate group.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wrigley and children of Oak st. have returned after spending a week at White Lake camping grounds, Ossipee, N.H.

Mrs. Emma Moss of Andover st. is the guest of Mrs. Mary Naden of Melrose.

Bobby Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown of Center st. is a patient at the Lawrence General hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Dearborn Tomlinson and children John and Diana have returned to their home in Detroit, Mich. after spending two weeks with Mrs. Tomlinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gollan.

A Boon to Engineers

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Six Andover Boys Inducted

Six Andover youths were among a total of 12 lads who left the local draft board No. 68 in the Post Office buidling on Tuesday for induction into the armed services. Of the dozen boys leaving for the military life, three of them were married.

Andover lads inducted were Paul Alexander Marier, 3 Walker ave.; Lawrence Francis White, 4 Burnham rd., Albert Irvin Alexander III, South Main st.; Robert Look Dea, 28 Summer st.; Donald Metthew Whyte, 11 Cassimere st.; and William Roland Denoncourt, 93 Abbot st. White and Dea are married.

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Girls Return From Camp

Several of the camp fire girls who spend two to four weeks at Camp Kiwanis in South Hanson have returned home after a very enjoyable time. They were Joyce Dunlop, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Dunlop, Arundel st., Marcia and Mildred Tangney, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tangney, Dartmouth rd., Carolyn Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jennings, Enmore st., Kathie Lloyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lloyd, William st. Patricia Burns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Burns, Argyle st., Jacqueline Weiner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Weiner, Lincoln st., Anne Woodcock, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Alan Woodcock, Haverhill st., and Cynthia Thompson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. William Thompson, William st.

Sisters in Training As Nurses

Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Shulze and their daughter, Barbara, 1 Carisbrooke st., spent several days in Mystic, Conn. recently. Barbara is at present undergoing a 3 month training course at the Children's hospital in Boston. Nancy Shulze, another daughter, is spending an eight-week course at the Massachusetts General hospital. Both girls are enrolled at Simmons college in the Nursing program.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Baillie and their two sons, James and Robert, and Mrs. Baillie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Knapton of Carlisle st. are spending two weeks at Biddeford Pool, Me.

Mrs. John MacMillan and her grandson, J. Allen Flye, Lowell st., went to New York by plane last Wednesday. They will visit in New York, New Jersey and Long Island. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Flye will join them in a few days for a vacation in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Allyn Sears, Lowell st., recently returned from a vacation at York, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Edgar Best, and their son, Robert, Argyle st., are enjoying a vacation at Seabrook beach, N.H. Their other son, David, is spending a month at Camp William Lawrence in Center Tuftonboro, N.H.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Flye, Lowell st., spent the weekend at Jackson, N.H.

Midshipman John Caswell spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Caswell, Dumbarton st. Saturday night he attended the mid-summer dance of the Massachusetts Maritime academy at the Hotel Touraine in Boston.

Edward Andrew is convalescing at his home on Haverhill st., following a serious injury to his foot.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wade, Lowell st., are spending a few days on Cape Cod.

Jo-Anwyl Foster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foster, Dumbarton rd., spent the weekend with her grandparents in Waltham.

Dickie Guild, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Guild, Lowell st., is enrolled as a camper at Trail-Blazers Day Camp for the month of August.

Dr. and Mrs. William Thompson, William st., have returned home after a vacation of three weeks.

Mrs. Austin O'Toole and her four sons, Peter, Dick, Danny and Eddie, Carlisle st., are spending the month of August at their summer home in Rindge, N.H.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis, Riverina rd., are spending the month of August at Big Island Pond. Their sons, Richard and Jeffrey, are at Camp William Lawrence in Center Tuftonboro, N.H.

PERSONALS

Miss Ruth MacMahon of Westwood, N.J. is a guest of Miss Virginia Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilson of Beech cir.

Mrs. Harold Wilson is entertaining Mrs. Terah Cowart-Smith of Binghamton, N.Y. Mrs. Cowart-Smith is a member of the Speakers Research Committee for the United Nations. She is widely known as a radio and platform speaker in Eastern United States and Canada. On Monday evening she will speak for a special group at the home of Mrs. Wilson on "Emerging World Order."

Miss Gertrude Buchan of Main st. is a guest at the Bayville Inn, Bayville, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Ackerman and family of Andover st. are enjoying a vacation at Cuttyhunk.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hill of Salem st. are spending a week at Sebago Lake, Maine.

Mrs. Jean Rogers of Lowell st. has returned from a vacation spent at Sebago Lake, Maine.

Miss Lillian Conroy of Essex st. spent last weekend in Rhode Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Thaxter Eaton and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Abbott are guests of Mrs. Edward Sargent of Mrs. Edward Sargent of Kennebunkport, Maine.

Miss Florence Gates, former teacher in the Andover Junior High school, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. Edward Buchan of Central st.

Mrs. Thomas LaCombe, 35 Shaw st., Lawrence, is convalescing at the Cole Nursing Home, Summer st., following a stay at the Lawrence General hospital.

Among the Andover visitors to the Ballet at Castle Hill, Cranes Beach, last Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sides, Mr. and Mrs. Thaxter Eaton, Mrs. E. Edward Buchan and Miss Florence Gates.

Miss Aurore Picard, Topping rd., is enjoying a vacation at Newfound Lake, N.H.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hird and family of Topping rd. are spending their annual vacation in New Hampshire.

Miss Mona Moore of Locke st. has returned from a vacation spent in New York City and Washington, D.C.

Mrs. Joseph A. Gillooly and children, Maureen and Lawrence of Washington ave., are spending a few days at Hampton beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard R. Flagg of Cleveland, O., have returned home after a visit with relatives in town and a stay at Little Neck, Ipswich. Mrs. Flagg is the former Betty Barnet of Burnham rd.

Russell Lord Jr. of Summer st. has returned from a vacation spent on Cape Cod.

Guy B. Howe, Guy B. Howe Jr. and Roland Weeks are spending a few days at York, Pa. While there they will tour the York-Shipley factory and see for themselves how the York boilers and burners are made. They expect to find it quite interesting as York-Shipley has a background of 33 years experience in the manufacture of these products.

Andover Native Minister Here

The Rev. Claxton Monro, son of Mrs. Claxton Monro, 105 Chestnut st., and a former resident of Andover, is the officiating minister at Christ Episcopal church for the month of August.

Mr. Monro is presently rector of St. Stephen's Episcopal church, Houston, Tex., where he has been stationed for the past two years. His subject for two of the Sundays will be "Christian Healing and its Relationship to the Church."

He is a graduate of Punchard high school, Phillips academy and M. I. T. After four years of business in New York City he graduated from the Central Theological Seminary and for the past 12 years has been administrating the word of God.

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The Candidates

Despite all the shenanigans at Chicago the delegates to the recent conventions came up with nominees whom political observers across the nation consider to be each party's strongest candidate.

In Dwight D. Eisenhower and Adlai E. Stevenson the American voters have before them two high-principled men who will conduct the coming campaign for President of the United States on a clean and high plane in keeping with the deep regard they have for that exalted office.

In many respects their selection by the conventions was somewhat similar. Each was sought for the job and as a result enters the campaign free from the yoke of any particular group or person.

Both are men of high calibre and in recent speeches reveal they have a complete grasp of the task before them, not the least of which is to bring unity within the ranks of their parties.

Both realize the challenge confronting us by forces both at home and abroad, yet with due humility are prepared to face the critical problems that face this nation's leader, and buoyed by a rugged idealism and high regard for America's destiny are certain to place our country's welfare above all other considerations.

The selection of two such men of high integrity augurs well for the future.

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This being general election year, we're going to hear a lot about economy in government – indeed, we'll hear about umpty thousand times as much as we'll see. – Bridgeport (Conn.) Post.

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Down the Years with The Townsman

50 Years Ago – August 1902

P. J. Hannon has recovered his horse having found it in the pasture again.

The new arc lights have been placed in position on poles in various parts of the town by the Andover Electric Co. Current here is now on all day from Lowell.

Many local people went to Reading Wednesday evening and enjoyed the band concert given in that town.

Rapid progress is being made on the Haverhill–Andover road. Grade stakes have been set nearly to Whittier street and ground excavated as far as O. P. Chase's.

A new Maplewood and Danvers street railway company has been organized and proposes to build a line from Malden through Saugus, Lynnfield, Danvers and Middleton to Boxford where it would make connections with the Middleton – Danvers road.

Daniel D. Mahony, pioneer shoe merchant, dies in Lawrence.

Coal has jumped to $8 a ton in Newburyport.

Happy outings held by the Free church Sunday school at Canobie lake; by the West Parish Sunday school at Haggett's pond, and by the Smith & Dove employees at Lynn beach.

Andover defeated Saugus 9 – 7 last Saturday in the Trolley League.

25 Years Ago – August 1927

Two autos badly wrecked in a midnight collision near Baker's turnout Sunday night. Occupants escaped serious injury but both cars had to be towed away.

Several fraternal organizations holding whist parties these summer evenings at gatherings being held indoors and outdoors. Dominoes also popular pastimes at these parties.

Electric car and auto in collision at Highland road and Main street Sunday morning but no one was hurt.

Many defendants appeared in Andover police court yesterday for minor violations of traffic laws.

Representatives of Eastern Mass., and Boston & Maine roads have private session with selectmen with regard to running a bus line from Lowell to Lawrence via West Andover and Shawsheen Village, Matter taken under advisement.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Moody of Andover st., recently entertained a number of their friends at Camp Onawa on the Shawsheen river.

10 Years Ago – August 1942

Tin cans to be collected in a scrap metal drive to be held next Saturday.

Selectmen in letter to Chief Dane regarding policy on police enlistments say it is necessary to "retain regular and experienced members of the two departments of public safety until federal government insists that duty to the country at large is paramount."

School closings recently voted by the school committee draw protests from Vale and West Parish residents. Will petition for a special town meeting.

Police engage in stern action against sidewalk cycling. Bring one youth into court.

Local residents who have transportation and wish to give financial aid to hard-pressed Russia are invited to attend a concert for the Russia War Relief by the noted Negro baritone, Paul Robeson, at Gloucester next Wednesday.

At The Memorial Hall Library

NEW BOOKS

Windows For The Crown Prince, Gray.

The author was appointed by the emperor of Japan to tutor the crown prince in English. This is a record of the four years after that date, which was in 1946, and of her experiences at the imperial court.

Let's Go Into Politics, Baldwin.

A practical, readable guide for anyone who dreams of entering the field of politics.

Bed For The Night, Jarman.

Ellsworth M. Statler got his "hotel" start as a bellboy in McLure house in West Virginia. To prove an error in phrenology, the boy set a goal of a hotel of his own with 1,000 rooms in New York City. Here's the whole story.

Nature I Love, Geagan.

Bill Geagan tried everything, then headed for the Maine woods, where he lived for two years and found friendship with wild things and a place for himself in the world.

Tibetan Sky Lines, Ekvall.

Robert V. Ekvall lived for years among the people of Tibet and came to know them as few westerners do. He writes of them as an author, poet, missionary and anthropologist.

Forty Odd, Bard.

Good-natured story of Mary Bard (of the book "The Doctor Wears Three Faces.") Here's how she took the hurdle of being forty. Funny, family sort of book.

The Natives Are Friendly, Leeming.

About to land among Sicilian peasants to be taken prisoner, the the author was commanded by his superior officer to toss 2,250,000 pound payroll into the sea. Soon among the P.O.W.'s, they founded the Ding Dong club, and began to try to find a way to escape.

Man From Abilene, McCann.

By one of Eisenhower's closest friends who served as his assistant from 1946 to 51. A clear picture of the entire man and his possible effect on the world.

State Of Latin America, Arciniegas.

A grim picture of the truth about Latin American nations and their real situations, political and civil. An important book if we are to be prepared for the next few years' events.

Big Business Methods For The Small Business, Holtzman.

Covers budgeting, finances, law, banking, profit-sharing, personnel administration, pensions, insurance, taxes, etc.

Joseph B. Eastman, Servant Of The People, Fuess.

Dr. Fuess has made a living character of the man whose 25 years of service in the interstate commerce commission as national director of defense transportation made him an important person in the political world.

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ANDOVER SCOUTS LEAVE FOR WEST POINT - - - - - Four Explorer Scouts left Andover on Saturday for Newburg, N.Y. to be guests of the U. S. Air Force for a week at the "Wings of West Point Encampment". Above photo shows, left to right, Robert Redfern, Eugene Zalla, John McAllister and Paul Cronin. (Look Photo)

AT THE CHURCHES

Methodist Church
REV. ROBERT J. McCUNE, Minister

SUNDAY: 10:45 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon: "Why the Minister?"

Christian Science Society
(6 Locke Street)

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 11 a.m. Church service. Subject of subject of lesson sermon: "Spirit."

Andover Baptist Church
ROY E. NELSON JR., Minister

Services discontinued until Sunday, Sept. 7 when the Morning service of worship will begin at 10:45 a.m. Observance of the Lord's Supper. Message by the Rev. Roy E. Nelson, Jr., pastor.

St. Augustine's Church
REV. P. J. CAMPBELL, Pastor

FRIDAY: 7:30 p.m. Novena devotions, benediction and veneration of Relic of St. Theresa.
SATURDAY: 4 to 6 p.m. and 7:30 to 9 p.m. Confessions.
SUNDAY: Masses, 6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 9:45 a.m., and 11:30 a.m.

St. Joseph's Church
(Ballardvale)

SUNDAY: Mass at 9 a.m. Confessions are heard before Mass.

Christ Church
REV. JOHN S. MOSES, Rector

SUNDAY: 8 a.m. Holy communion. 10 a.m. Morning service and sermon. Officiating minister the Rev. Claxton Monro.

Free Church
REV. LEVERING REYNOLDS JR. Minister

SUNDAY: 10 a.m. The Union service of the South and Free Congregational churches will be held in the Free church during the month of August and the first Sunday in September with the Rev. Frederick B. Noss preaching.

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DOUTY – A son, July 30 at the Clover Hill hospital to Mr. and Mrs. George E. Douty (June Hennessey) 226 N. Main st.

HILTON– A daughter, Aug. 2 at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Hilton (Leona R. Cavanaugh) of 182 Shawsheen rd.

PIETERS– A son, Aug. 2 at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Richard S. Pieters (Norma Kenfield) of 25 Phillips st.

WATSON– A daughter, Aug. 3 at the Bon Secours hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Watson (Joan Lynch) of 47 Union st.

CAHILL– A son, Aug. 2 at the Hale hospital, Haverhill, to Mr. and Mrs. James Cahill of Enmore st. The mother was formerly Mary Boland of Haverhill. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. Dalton Cahill of Cedar rd. and Mr. and Mr. William Boland of Haverhill.

LOOK– A daughter, Linda Jane, Aug. 4 at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Look (Faith Kinsey), By Pass, North Andover. The father is a former Andover resident.

Miss Beverly Arthur of Stevens st. is attending the Dancing Master's convention in New York City this week.

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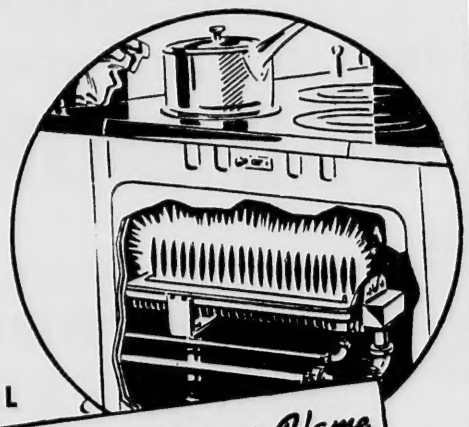
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Open House Party

A very enjoyable family gathering was held Sunday from 3 to 5 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lewis in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Breitenfeld of Chicago, Ill., who are visiting at the Lewis home. Mrs. Breitenfeld is the former Marilyn E. Lewis.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Northey, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peatman and Norma Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kneath and Arlene, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cole, Mrs. Ada Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lewis and Cynthia, all of Andover; Mr. and Mrs. Carlton White and family of Whitman, Mr. and Mrs. Ellery Metcalf and daughters of Saugus, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lewis and daughters of Chelmsford, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cole of Methuen, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cole and son of Exeter, N.H. and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith and Martha of Reading.

Guest Preacher

The Rev. John G. Gaskill, pastor of the West church, was guest preacher at the morning service in the North Tewksbury church, last Sunday.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. William Turner and and family of High Plain rd. have returned from a week's vacation spent at North Salisbury beach.

Mrs. Martha Buckley of Valleyfield, Quebec, is enjoying several weeks visiting with her sister, Mrs. Albert Heinz of High Plain rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baillaigeron of Brechin terrace have returned from a three weeks' visit with friends in Montreal and Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred White of Shawsheen rd. spent the weekend in Dexter, Me.

Mrs. Donald Van Roosen and daughter Christine of Lowell st. are enjoying a vacation at Ogunquit, Me.

Mrs. Lathrop Merrick of Shawsheen rd. enjoyed a visit with Mrs. Adele Savage of Greenfield, this week.

Mrs. Arthur Janes of Virginia rd. enjoyed a several days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis at their summer home in Dennis.

Atty. and Mrs. Richard Sullivan of Virginia rd. flew to Bermuda early this week for a vacation.

Atty. Halbert Dow of Beacon st. is spending the month of August with his family at their summer home at Rye beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thomes and family of Charlotte, N.C. are enjoying a visit with the former's mother, Mrs. Charles Thomes of Bailey rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peatman of Cutler rd. have returned home after an enjoyable motor trip through northern New York state and Vermont.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert P. Carter of Lowell st. spent several days last week motoring through Vermont.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Thomes and daughter of Main st. are enjoying a vacation with relatives in Waterville and Bridgeton, Me.

Albert Brouillard of Bailey rd., an enlistee in the U.S. Air Force, is receiving basic training at the Sampson Air Base, Geneva, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kennedy and family of Lynn were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams of Lowell st.

Mrs. Lawrence Thomes of Bailey rd. left Tuesday by plane for Los Angeles, Cal., where she will spend several weeks with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Breitenfeld Jr. of Chicago, Ill. are visiting at the home of the latters' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Lewis of Lowell st.

Barbara L. Jones of Waltham has returned home after spending several days with her aunt, Mrs. Lathrop Merrick of Shawsheen rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sanborn of North st. have returned from a short vacation at Lake Winnespesaukee, N.H.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartwell Abbott and family of Dascomb rd. recently enjoyed a visit with the latter's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter True of Balston Spa, N.Y.

Robert Wright of Shawsheen rd. has assumed his duties with the Sylvania company, Boston, after enjoying a vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright, at their summer home East Bluehill, Me.

Larry Sullivan of Virginia rd. has returned to his home after a vacation with friends at Dennis.

THREE GRANDPARENTS ARE ENTERTAINED

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hornidge of Ballardvale road recently entertained their three grandparents: Mrs. Evelyn Hornidge of Glenvar, Black Rock, County Dublin, Eire, and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Travis of Hillscape, Staunton, Virginia.

FRACTURED TOE

John Renny of Elm st. was treated at the Lawrence General hospital Monday at 5 p.m. for a fractured toe.

Sportsman's Club Meets

The next regular business meeting of the Andover Sportsman's Club, Inc., will be held Tuesday, Aug. 12 at the club grounds with a "Twilight Trapshoot", starting at 6 p.m. The "shoot" is open to all ages and visiting club members. Following the business session, a "weenie" roast will be held in the club house.

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The next regular business meeting of the Andover Sportsman's Club, Inc., will be held Tuesday, Aug. 12 at the club grounds with a "Twilight Trapshoot", starting at 6 p.m. The "shoot" is open to all ages and visiting club members. Following the business session, a "weenie" roast will be held in the club house.

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Engagements

Beaudette — Gaudet

An August 16 wedding in St. Augustine's church is planned by Miss Emilia Gaudet, whose parents Mr. and Mrs. Philip I. Gaudet, 17 Cuba st., announce her engagement and coming marriage to Charles Henry Beaudette, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beaudette of Lyndale ave., Methuen.

Miss Gaudet attended Punchard high school and is employed at Woolworth's. Mr. Beaudette attended the Lawrence schools and is employed in North Andover.

Eaton — Armstrong

The engagement of Miss Sue Ellen Armstrong is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Armstrong of Bedford, Ind., to James Henry Eaton III, son of Atty. and Mrs. James H. Eaton Jr., of Cabot rd.

Miss Armstrong attended Indiana university and is a member of Alpha Xi Delta sorority. Mr. Eaton was graduated from Governor Dummer academy and attended Norwich university. He holds a degree from Boston university and also attended Boston university, School of Law.

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In a Little League Farm system game the Salem, N.H., All Stars won 12 — 9 from the Andover All Stars at the former's town Thursnight. Andover got off to a seven-run lead in the first two innings but Salem tied it up in the third with seven runs and scored four more in the fourth.

The line up of Andover: Lucey, lb., Emsley, 2b., Audette, p., Hartford, 3b., J. Matton, ss., Richards, rf-c., Mooney, rf., McKay, cf-c., McKittrick, lf., T. Matton, lf., Chetson, p.

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Marcia G. Sherry to Genevieve Gallarane, Highway to Tewksbury and Road from Ballardvale Village to Andover.

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Mary E. Pasho to Philip E. Pasho et ux, Pearson st.

Cynthia E. Pike to Walter N. Pike, Wood Hill rd.

George C. Williams et ux to John C. Young et ux, Lincoln st.

Joseph R. Lariviere et ux to to George L. Mottram et ux, North st.

Joseph E. Smeltzer to Mildred F. Legault, "Ballardvale" Andover st.

Thomas B. Mortimer et ux to Wallace M. Haselton et ux, Holt rd.

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OBITUARIES

LEROY C AMBYE

Leroy C. Ambye, 9 Chestnut st., died unexpectedly at his home Saturday. According to Dr. John T. Batal, medical examiner, death was due to coronary thrombosis. A native of Denmark, he had resided in Andover for the past 35 years. A veteran of World War I, he was a member of Andover post 8, American Legion.

He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Doris C. Ellis of West Concord; a grandson; two brothers, Anthon L. of Andover and Wilhelm C. of Denmark; also one niece.

The funeral was held Tuesday from the Lundgren funeral home with services at 2 p.m. conducted by the Rev. Frederick B. Noss, pastor of the South church. Burial was in West Parish cemetery.

The bearers were: Edward F. White, representing the Grand Cheminot, 40 and 8, Department of Massachusetts, and the following members of Andover post, 8, American Legion: Thomas P. Dea, Frank Markey, Albert McCarthy, William Deyermond, John Grecoe and Albert Cole Jr.

MISS MARGARET BONER

Miss Margaret Boner, a former resident of Andover and South Groveland, died early Monday at the Protectory of Mary Immaculate, Lawrence, where she had resided for the past ten years. A native of Andover, she spent most of her life in Andover and South Groveland.

Surviving is a brother, Edward Boner of South Groveland; two nieces and six nephews.

The funeral was held Tuesday from the John Breen Memorial funeral home with a high Mass of requiem at 10 a.m. in the Immaculate Conception church. Burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery.

The bearers were: Frank Weir, Daniel Danahay, Paul J. Breen and and Joseph Harrigan.

A group of nuns from the Protectory of Mary Immaculate attended the Mass.

MRS. PETRONELA GRIGALUNAS

Mrs. Patronela (Pasarkanis) Grigalunas, Vale st., Tewksbury, died Saturday at the Crockett sanatorium, Lowell. A co-proprietor of Rickey's variety store, she was also known as Mrs. Grigas.

Surviving are a daughter, Petronela, wife of Alexander Sanda of South Boston; three sons, Stanley of Lawrence, Joseph of Dracut and John of Tewksbury; 14 grandchildren; one great-grandchild; a brother, Dr. Joseph Paskarnis of Milton; a sister, Mrs. Martha Andrews of Weymouth.

The funeral was held Tuesday from the Churlionis funeral home, 16 Park st., Lawrence, with a high Mass of requiem at 10 o'clock in St. Francis' church, Lawrence. Burial was in the Immaculate Conception cemetery.

The bearers were: Frank Kosmek, John Mercelis, Peter Slauta, Peter Grina, John Braciskac and Peter Stepulonis.

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Pomp's Pond Nears Season's Close

The classes at Pomp's Pond have rapidly been coming to a close. During the past week Instructor Jim Dolan has been putting his "Beginners" and "Intermediates" through tests which will qualify them for a Red Cross Skill Card in their class.

The following have been taking part in the "Intermediate" tests: Peter Fisher, James Lancaster, Ken Bisset, Ruth Hall, Norm Wallace, Steve McKittrick, Jane Lancaster, Tom Wilhelm.

The following "Beginners" have been taking their tests with more expected to complete the tests next week: Pamela Yancey, Joyce Hajj, Ronnie Hajj, Susan Wennick, Linda Lowe, Susan Shaw, Mike Costello, Mike Hurley. This list is not complete and does not mean that all the children listed have passed the course as yet.

The Senior Life Saving course with Dick Kydd as Instructor will close on Wednesday night. The class will have its written examination on Tuesday and its practical tests on Wednesday.

Junior Lifesaving is rapidly closing with Bob McCabe directing. The following members are taking part in the class: Linda Fisher, Glenn Williams, Margot Lawlor, Betty Jane Donaldson.

The "Beginners" have to pass the following skills to get their Red Cross Cards: breath holding, rhythmic breathing, prone float, prone glide, back float, back glide, kick glide, kick glide on back, arm stroke, arm stroke on back, combined stroke front and back, change of direction, turning over, leveling off, feet foremost jump into deep and shallow water, plain front dive.

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Head Guard Bob McCabe urges everyone who wishes to take part in the Carnival Events to sign up with the matron, Mrs. Wright.

The guards at the Pond will also put on a life saving demonstration under the direction of Bob McCabe. This will consist of bringing in a victim and performing artificial respiration on him. They will also demonstrate the more simple forms of rescue such as ring buoy and rescue pole.

The events will start at 2:30 P.M. on Aug. 24. The public is invited.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Docket No. 238186
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of KATHERINE MARGARET LEVIS, otherwise known as KATHERINE M. LEVIS late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by JOHN LEVIS and ELIZABETH R. SWEENEY, named in said will as ELIZABETH SWEENEY, both of Andover in said County, praying that they be appointed executors thereof without giving a surety on their bonds.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the second day of September 1952, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.

From the office of
Anna M. Greeley
Attorney-at-Law
Andover, Massachusetts 24-31-7

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Docket No. 238,238
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of ANDREW P. HAMILTON late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by DAVID MCDONALD of Andover in said County, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the second day of September 1952, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register
24-31-7

INVITATION TO BIDDERS
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"OLD STORE BUILDING"
BALLARDVALE, ANDOVER, MASS.

The Board of Selectmen of the Town of Andover, Mass. solicits proposals from qualified contractors for the furnishing and installation of a new steam heating system and a new plumbing system for the "Old Store Building" located on Andover street in Ballardvale, Andover, Mass.

Plans and specifications have been prepared for the work by CLINTON FOSTER GOODWIN, Registered Architect, 25 Washington Square, Haverhill, Mass.

Plans, specifications and proposal forms may be obtained at the office of the Board of Selectmen, Town House, Andover, Mass.

Proposals shall be submitted on the form attached hereto and shall be delivered at the office of the Board of Selectmen, Town House, Andover, Mass. not later than 7:30 p.m. o'clock, E.D.S.T. on Thursday, August 21, 1952.

All proposals shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope marked "Proposal for Heating and Plumbing Systems, "Old Store Building," Ballardvale, Andover, Mass." and shall be endorsed with the name of the Bidder.

All bids will be opened at a meeting of the Board of Selectmen and publicly read. Bidders may be represented at the opening of bids if they so desire.

A bid deposit in the form of a certified check or cash will be required of each bidder in the amount of $250. All checks shall be made payable to the Treasurer of the Town of Andover.

A performance bond in 100% of the contract amount will be required of the successful bidder.

A deposit of $5.00 will be required for each set of plans, this amount to be refunded to the bidder when the plans are returned.

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TOWN OF ANDOVER, MASS.

ROY E. HARDY, CHAIRMAN
J. EVERETT COLLINS, SECRETARY
SIDNEY P. WHITE

August 7, 1952

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Probate No. 237184
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of ELIZABETH FLORENCE SWIFT, otherwise known as ELIZABETH F. SWIFT late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for license to sell at private sale, certain real estate of said deceased.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at SALEM before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the SECOND day of SEPTEMBER 1952, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of August in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

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ANDOVER BUILDING PERMITS IN JULY

(Continued from Page One)

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The following additions and alterations were approved: Dorcas and Phillip Costello, 72 Whittier st.; Richard D. Hornidge, Ballardvale rd.; William J. McCarty, 46 Chestnut st.; William Mosher, Haggett's Pond rd.; Samuel S. Rogers, 124 Summer st.; P. W. Moody Co., Dale st.; Clara Baldwin, Summer st.; Lawrence Rod and Gun Club Inc., off Webster st.

MARRIAGE RETURN

The following marriage return has been filed at the office of Town Clerk George H. Winslow:

Paul Sydney Knowles, 210 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, N.Y., and June May Whitworth, 45 Maple ave., married Aug. 1 by the Rev. John G. Gaskill, at the West Parish church.

WEDDING INTENTIONS

The following wedding intentions have been filed at the office of Town Clerk George H. Winslow.

John E. Sheehy, Argilla rd. and Mary T. Colford, 129 Green st., Reading.

Joseph Watmough Jr., Coolridge rd., Greenville, R.I., and Joan Capen, 15 Virginia rd.

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Tree Warden Sticks To Guns; Protesting Workers' Return

Tree Warden George Abbott stuck to his guns after having discharged Leo Pimpare, River st., Ballardvale, from his $58 per week job in the Tree and Moth department, despite the fact that three of Pimpare's fellow workers in the department quit their jobs briefly in protest to the dismissal. He moved into regular employment one of the men who had quit his job in protest to Pimpare's firing.

More than two weeks ago Tree Warden George Abbott discharged Leo Pimpare from his duties. He informed Pimpare that he was being replaced because he was not a veteran and his appointment was only temporary. Two days after the firing, three other workers in the department left their jobs in protest. They were John Lynch, Harry Reidy and Herbert Lister. Two workers in the department, James Buss Sr. and James Buss Jr. continued to stay on the job.

On the next Monday's meeting of the selectmen, the matter was aired in closed session. The issue was discussed further during the following week and the three protesting workers were reinstated in their jobs but the status of Pimpare remains unchanged.

On Monday of this week the three employees resumed their employment and Herbert Lister was given regular status, having previously been a temporary worker. Lister worked in the department for a year and a half up to Oct. 1951 and worked the last six weeks of 1951. He resumed employment on June 1 of 1952.

As a result of the firing of Pimpare, charges flew hot and heavy. Speaking for himself, Pimpare said he was being replaced because his superior believed he planned to run for the office of tree warden at the next town election. He said he has been a permanent employee of the department since last September.

Tree Warden Abbott, who has headed the department for the past 17 years, said that when he told Pimpare that he was going to replace him with a "veteran" he meant a veteran of the tree department as well as a veteran of the military service. He said that he had never heard Pimpare was going to run for the office of tree warden and that this would in no way enter into the controversy.

Also taking a voice in the issue were the four veteran posts in Andover. Commanders of these military organizations announced that they are dedicated to protect the rights of veterans but they would not urge that a man be deprived of his means of livelihood because he was not a veteran.

Of importance to the controversy is action taken at the Town meeting last March when a committee consisting of Edmond Hammond, Ellsworth Lewis and Joseph Bacigalupo was appointed to study a proposed merger of the Tree department with the Board of Public Works department.

ANDOVER FARMERS HIT BY DROUGHT

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pounds of meat and 250 acres of fruits produced 2800 bushels.

Strawberries

Even next year's strawberries have been hard hit by the summer dry spell. A large Andover strawberry farmer said that this year's crop was only 25 per cent of normal, where no irrigation existed. He said that next year's strawberries are dependent on this year's runners and only 10 per cent of them are growing in desired strength.

Round Up

The round-up picture was a black one for the farmers, who derive a livlihood from their hard battle with the soil. But even equally concerned was the Andover housewife who tries to present a nourishing menu in an era when living costs challenge the family pocketbook.

Rains Too Late

Welcome rains wetted the Andover soils this week. According to Essex Agricultural School experts it was the old story of "Too Little And Too Late." They said the major damage has been done. They said the drought was the worst in 134 years.

Playground Winners Are Announced

A field day for children of all the Andover playgrounds, (Central, West Center, Indian Ridge and Ballardvale) was scheduled to be held at 10 a.m. today at the Andover playstead under the direction of the supervisors and instructors of the playground staff. About 400 children were listed in the competitions. Point system was used in scoring with handicaps given to the smaller playgrounds.

Tournament winners for the summer season at the different playgrounds were announced as follows:

Indian Ridge: 45's contest, George Connors, Jack Davis, Rosalie Milne. Ping pong (11 years and over) Glenn Moore, David Belka. Checkers (7 through 9 years) Larry Kirwen, Barry Connors. Checkers (10 years and over) George Connors, Rosalie Milne and David Belka.

Ballardvale, sandbuilding, Edward Smeltzer, Joseph Harkins. Checkers (7 to 10 years) Rita Harkins, Lawrence Mitchell, Carolanne Shaw, Ping Pong (7 to 10) Donald Lawrence, Billy Robinson, Jonathan Langdell, Ping Pong (11 and up) Frank White, Roy Sharpe, Jack MacMillan. Checkers (11 and up) Patricia Murnane, Jackie MacMillan and Bob Nolin.

Central: checkers (7 to 9) David Murphy, Wendy Sandberg, Chuckie Smith. Checkers (10 and over) Pauline Sarrette, Nikki Scalera. Sandbuilding (2 to 5) Donald Scalera, Bobbie Petrie, Jimmy Barrett. Ping Pong (10 and over) Bill Vickers, Fred Polgren, Stephen O'Connor. Heel toss, Stephen McKittrick, Albert Scalera and David Murphy.

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